

TELLS OF LIFE IN HAWAII.

The Able and Interesting Letter of a Chinese Boy to a Book Concern in Chicago.

In Hawaii lives a little Chinese chap named Ah Yaw, who can write a better hand than many of the 2,000,000 people who live right here in Chicago. Little Ah Yaw's home is in the village of Hanapepe, on the island of Kauai, which is one of the Hawaiian group, and a Chicago book concern got a letter from him recently which the members of the firm thought so wonderful that they sent it to the Daily News so that the rest of the people in Chicago could share their surprise at the handwriting of a Chinese boy in the Hawaiian islands.

The letter covers most of both sides of a couple of sheets of foolscap and is written with an excellence of penmanship that people in this country seldom attain except after years of practice and which most writers fail utterly to attain ever. The boy is after three books, in payment of which he incloses 45 cents in postage stamps. But before telling the book firm what he wants he politely goes to the trouble of telling them enough about life in the little village of Kauai where he lives to enable the bookmakers to print a new book about country life in Hawaii. Says the boy:

"I am a Chinese boy, and live in a valley which is inhabited by Portuguese, Hawaiians, Americans, Germans, Japanese, Porto Ricans and Chinese. The inhabitants of our valley is about 300 to 400 people. The chief occupations of the Chinese and Japanese are raising rice and vegetables. The rice is a kind of stalk, almost like corn stalk. This is the way how they cultivate the land. First of all they plow the field and let water in for two or three days, then one or two men sow the rice, and about a week or two it is four or five inches tall. Then two or three men come with their sickles pull up the rice, cut off the tops and put it in a kind of basket. Then others would come, bear the filled baskets to some other field and plant it. After about a month or two it is about five to eight inches tall, then they shut off the water and goes to work pulling out the weeds and grasses and such things. After that water is let in again until the rice has grown to be nine to twelve inches high. By this time the rice stalks bears the tiny rice, which is always green.

"After two or three weeks more it is yellow, which the rice is now ripe and ready for harvesting. We have a kind of fowl which is called rice fowl or rice bird. They would eat the rice and spoil it and this gives the farmers whole lots of trouble and they scare them off by shooting them. When the rice is ready for harvesting the rice planters bring their sickles reap it. One man can reap about three-quarters of an acre of rice in a day. They begin to work at five in the morning and work until six o'clock in the evening.

When the rice are all reaped they collect it together and tie it into bundles. Then each man will bring a stick about 12 to 15 feet long, sharp-pointed on each end. On each end of the stick they have two bundles and away they bear it to the threshing place on their shoulders. After the rice has been threshed it is then put into sacks and a wagon comes along loaded with sacks of rice and carried to the mill. There it is manufactured and is now very white and after that there are put in sacks and sent almost all over the world mostly to the United States. I will tell you next something about our school. It is 46 feet in length, 23 feet in width and contains three rooms. The principal of our school is Mr. H. H. Brodie and I am in his room. He is a pretty good fellow but sometimes he gets a little mad and spanks the children. We have another old school behind this one which was once the first room, but it is now the fourth room. In our school we have about 158 to 168 pupils and different nationalities; they are Hawaiians, Americans, Japanese, Portuguese, Porto Ricans, Germans and Chinese. We have only an acre of ground and it is a very small play ground for such a number of children. Indeed, on the east of our school is a Chinese store, on the west the government road, on the north a river and on the south a minister's house. Our school is about 18 rods from the river and we often go in swimming and that's great fun. In our school the boys play ball, marbles, wrestling, jumping rope and etc. In our valley we have six Chinese stores, two Chinese restaurants, two Chinese shoe stores, two Chinese tailor shops, one Chinese watchmaker, two Japanese stores, two Japanese restaurants, two Japanese barbers, two Japanese watchmakers and one saloon owned by a Chinese store. About a mile from our school we have a large beach. On this beach lived 30 or 40 fishermen who owned plenty boats and earned their living by fishing. When it is dark two men would row their boat out to the mighty ocean with their odd lamps and fish all night. When day breaks again they come sailing back, you know, with their finest fish to show their neighbors. Then other Japanese further up the valley would come down with their wagons and buy the fish. Then they would carry it to the camps and such places to sell it. Sometimes they make a good profit and sometimes loses."

Composite Success.
Sidney—Rodney, you live by your wits, don't you?
Rodney—Well, partly; and partly by other people's lack of wits.—Detroit Free Press.

Resolutions of Respect.

At a regular meeting of Wellington Lodge No. 81, I. O. O. F., held June 21, 1902, the following preamble and resolutions were unanimously adopted:

Whereas, It has pleased Almighty God to remove from our midst our late brother, Dan. W. Goss, and whereas, it is but just that a fitting recognition of his many virtues should be had, therefore, be it

Resolved, by Wellington Lodge No. 81, I. O. O. F., that while we bow with humble submission to the will of the Most High, we do not the less mourn for our brother who has been taken from us.

Resolved, That in the death of Dan W. Goss this lodge laments the loss of a brother who was ever ready to proffer the hand of aid and the voice of sympathy to the needy and distressed of the fraternity; an active member of this society whose utmost endeavors were exerted for its welfare and prosperity; a friend and companion whom we all loved; a citizen whose upright and noble life was a standard of emulation to his fellows.

Resolved, that the heartfelt sympathy of this lodge be extended to his family in their affliction.

Resolved, that these resolutions be spread upon the records of the lodge, and a copy thereof be transmitted to the family of our deceased brother, and to the Missouri Ledger, Lexington INTELLIGENCER and Richmond papers.

E. W. FLOURNOY,
ALEX. BAYNE,
J. A. MANN,
Committee.

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by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the eustachian tube. When this tube gets inflamed you have a running sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; plus cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surface.

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The republicans are funny fellows.

The state convention at Jefferson City adopted a platform which says: "We point with pride to the fact that all our promises have been fulfilled." This is not true, nor half true. "We re-affirm the declarations of the party, that we are unalterably opposed to all trusts and combinations in restraint of trade, having for their purpose, in the remotest degree, stifling of competition." This is proven to be untrue by the luxurious prosperity of all trusts and combines, and the frantic efforts of trusts to keep the republican party in power. "We declare that the democrats are unable to account for the money taken from the taxpayers." This is not true, nor half true, for everybody knows that every cent has been accounted for. The convention denounced the lobby, then winked its other eye and secretly resolved to make every republican member of the legislature vote for lobbyists and lobby measures. The people of Missouri are "on" to republican promises and denunciations.

Odessa Ledger: "Postmaster John T. Wagoner, C. L. Frost, V. Gillen, Lee Taylor and Casey Campbell made a fishing excursion to the Sol, near Wellington the middle of the week. Postmaster Wagoner evidently drank more than his share of the 'bait' as C. L. Frost was all out of 'sorts' when they arrived home, and in answer to an interrogation from the Ledger reporter brusquely informed us that four gentlemen and a postmaster composed the party." . . . "Henry Rockefeller, who lives in Ray county just opposite Wellington, has a domesticated wild goose that's the pet of the farm. Something over three years ago Henry was out on the river shooting and wounded the goose by breaking one of its wings. He carried it home and by the time its wing had become healed it was thoroughly established as master of the poultry yard and was as wedded to its surroundings as any of the domestic fowls. Occasionally his goose-ship will pick himself up and with many loud squawks will sail away a mile or two to adjacent fields, but always returns within a few hours to the home of his adoption."

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The Marshall water works is in the hands of a receiver.

Born, in Lexington, June 15, to the wife of E. H. Griffith, a girl.

Clean up your premises before the board of health comes round.

Born, in Waverly, June 11, to the wife of Spencer L. Brown, a boy.

Born, near Concordia, June 20, to the wife of Mr. Chris Eckhoff, a girl.

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Miss Fannie Combs left Thursday night for Independence to visit relatives.

Miss Janie Wyatt left for Lee's Summit Thursday night to visit friends.

It is said that the high price of meat has caused Chicago cheap restaurants to serve horse-meat.

Married, at Kansas City, June 16, Merwin Howard, of Iowa, Kas., and Miss Mayme Beattie, of Higginsville.

Married, in Dover, June 10, Riley Freeman and Miss Hattie E. Vaughan, Squire Geo. F. Zeysing officiating.

Odessa now has two fire engines. She now intends to buy some new hose, and will be fixed for fighting fires.

FOR SALE—Two new McCormack line foot rakes and two sickle grinders at a bargain. J. R. Moorehead. It

Marshall Dem.-News: "James Branch and daughter, Miss Fannie, are visiting the former's father at Lexington.

A new Methodist church was dedicated at Higginsville last Sunday. Bishop Hendrix delivered the dedicatory address.

Died, near Concordia, June 22, of consumption, Herman Lange, aged 39 years. He leaves a wife and four small children.

If You Suffer From Kidney Troubles Use Smith's Sure Kidney Cure. Nothing like it for diseased kidneys. 50 cents. For sale by Chas. W. Loomis.

Died, at Kansas City, June 20, Robert, aged 18 years and 4 months, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Tallaferro, formerly of Odessa.

At Alma the Fourth will be celebrated in good style. The cornet band of that place will have charge of the celebration.

There is a famine of barbers in St. Louis. The board of examiners has been at work, and hundreds who could not stand an examination have left town.

Mesdames Charles Schultz and W. C. Bergbelden, who have been visiting Mrs. J. P. Coen, returned to their home in St. Joseph Wednesday morning.

The report is still going the rounds of the press that Rockefeller has bought a controlling interest in the Missouri Pacific. It may be true, but we do not believe it.

Healthy Kidneys Means Long Life.

If you want to restore your kidneys to their former healthy state take Smith's Sure Kidney Cure—50 cents. For sale by Chas. W. Loomis. 6-28

A bill has been introduced to put on the pension roll such soldiers' widows as have re-married and again become widows. Why not put her second and third husbands on the list?

The devil in the Jeffersonian office got his foot caught in a Gordon press, a few days ago, and the end of his toe was mashed off. We wonder what he was trying to do to the press.

Bargains.

To reduce my stock of boots and shoes during the summer months, will sell at cost for cash only. Respt, 278&wtf Edw. F. MEYER.

Oklahoma, Arizona and other territories will not get statehood at this session of congress. If any territory goes democratic this fall, it will not get statehood at the next session.

Captain Littlejohn, of Dover, made the INTELLIGENCER a pleasant visit Thursday. He is one of the oldest men in the county, and fame; yet he gets around about as well as most men of sixty.

Every merchant in the city should join the "Merchants' Association." Its object is not to increase prices, but to increase trade, to improve the roads, and to make Lexington a better town.

Cleveland, Ohio, has a bribery sensation. A member of the council furnished \$2,000 and said he was to get \$3,000 more for his vote on a gas franchise. The alleged bribe-giver was arrested.

Trigg and Eaton will Move.

About the first of July Trigg & Eaton will remove their stock of groceries to the Taubman building, now occupied as a coal office by Mr. J. C. McGrew, opposite Fredendall & Wilson's. 6-14-3t

The "Glorious Fourth" will be celebrated at Concordia, under the auspices of the Concordia Band. There will be a grand parade, speaking and picnic, and at night there will be fireworks.

Mothers who would keep their children in good health should watch for the first symptoms of worms and remove them with White's Cream Vermifuge. Price, 25 cents. For sale by Crenshaw & Young.

A fellow at Patterson, New Jersey, stole his wife's false teeth and her best skirt, and pawned them for 90 cents so he could go to the circus. When his wife accused him of the theft, he told her she had swallowed the teeth.

The U. D. C.'s of St. Louis presented to the Confederate Home, at Higginsville, a fine book case and a box of books. The U. D. C.'s of St. Joseph also presented the Home with a box of books, all of which were highly appreciated.

The Only Guaranteed Kidney Cure is Smith's Sure Kidney Cure. Your druggist will refund your money if after taking one bottle you are not satisfied with results. 50 cents. For sale by Chas. W. Loomis. 6-28m6

C. D. Warner, of Kansas City, son of Major Wm. Warner, died Friday from an "overdose of morphine. Whether taken accidentally or with suicidal intent is not known. He was drinking heavily when he took the drug.

Representative Kern, of Illinois, on Friday, introduced a bill in the lower house of congress, providing for a pension at \$50 per month, of all blind people over 16 years of age, until the end of their natural lives. Representative Kern is a fool.

To save mending, avoid breaking, and to avoid suffering, prevent coughs and colds by the timely use of Ballard's Horehound Syrup. It is a safe, sure and swift remedy for all bronchial ailments. Price, 25 and 50 cents. For sale by Crenshaw & Young. 6m1

There are now 998,303 pensioners on the rolls and 355,259 claims are pending. The commissioner of pensions says he is worried almost to death by soldiers and pension agents. It looks as though the pension law had been stretched threadbare.

Waverly Watchman: "This section has had frequent showers of rain the past two weeks, and yet the earth is dry at the depth of three and four inches. Most of the ponds are dry and the branches furnish but little water. It will take several long rains to thoroughly wet the ground to any depth."

Johnson county has decided to build rock roads. The quicker Lafayette county decides to do so the better it will be for the county. Ten miles of rock road, in all directions from Lexington, would bring in more trade than anything else. The railroads take trade away from the small towns.

Poultry and Eggs.

We want your poultry and eggs. Get our prices. McDOWELL & GELZER, 6-21-1f Shippers.

Higginsville Jeffersonian: "The 4-year-old son of Herman Haas, who lives south of this city, was badly cut just above the knee of both legs Monday afternoon by a binder. The boy and his mother were in the field where the men were cutting wheat, and the little fellow went out in the high wheat and was not seen by his father until the binder blade had struck him."

Leeton Times: The Star Bloomer Girls' base ball team played the M. W. A. team at Warrensburg yesterday. Where the Bloomer Girls hail from we don't know and don't care. The general public would not be the loser should their mothers take a hand in the matter and bat their bases until they make a home run.

FOR SALE, SEED CORN—I have a choice lot of St. Charles and White Pearl seed corn that I bought and picked in Iowa, at C. H. Mitchell & Son's feed store and at the Lexington Milling & Feed company's. Price \$1.10 per bushel. 3-25f WILLIAM H. STEVENSON.

Miss Elizabeth Austin will be married at 12 o'clock, noon, at the residence of her parents, in Kansas City, tomorrow, Sunday, to Mr. Jewell Watson Dunne, of St. Louis. The bride is a niece of Mrs. John Morrison, of this city, and is well known here. Mr. and Mrs. Morrison will attend the wedding. She has the good wishes of a host of friends in this city.

If you are troubled with that most uncomfortable disease called piles, don't neglect it. Don't let the complaint get a firm hold. Every day the disease is neglected it grows worse. Commence at once to use Tabler's Hemorrhoid Pile Ointment, the relief is immediate, and cure is infallible. Price, 50 cents in bottles. Tubes, 75 cents. For sale by Crenshaw & Young. 6m1

The date of the Higginsville fair has been arranged, September 3, 4 and 5. The board of directors is composed of representative business men. Their names are a guarantee of success in a broad full sense. They are as follows: Dan Hofer, Ed. O'Brien, M. L. Dailey, S. J. Kleinschmidt, Dr. W. A. Braecklein, A. E. Asbury, Jr., M. C. James, Theodore Youngs, Clem Tyree, F. C. Grau, J. P. Greer, L. L. Lake, with Ed. O'Brien president of the association, Dan Hofer, vice-president, A. E. Asbury, Jr., treasurer and C. A. Kolb secretary.

Richmond Democrat: Frank Trigg, who has been employed on the Lexington INTELLIGENCER for several weeks past, returned home Sunday. . . . Dave Thornton, of Lexington, deputy county clerk of Lafayette county, and a young man of sterling qualities, was a Richmond visitor Sunday, returning home Monday morning. . . . Prof. J. C. Shelton left Wednesday for Southern Missouri, where he will labor in the interests of Central College, Lexington. His family will remain here during the summer and will move to Lexington in early fall.

Odessa Oracle: "The entire Beattie family, including O. B. Beattie and wife and Chas. Beattie, were desperately ill Tuesday after dinner, and the physician in attendance, Dr. McLennan, thought the symptoms those of Paris green poisoning. Upon examination the water was found to be all right, as well as the food served at the dinner, and all are at a loss as to the cause unless it is to be traced to ham croquettes made from the last of a ham. Possibly some of the moulded part was used. They were all very sick even to the colored boy at work on the place. Tuesday was a warm day and temperature may have played an important part; any way we congratulate them in coming out of it all right."

Notice!

Sealed proposals will be received by the Board of Education of Lexington, Mo., until 6 p. m. July 2d, 1902, for furnishing coal to the public schools in this city for one year, from July, 1902, to July, 1903. Give price per bushel delivered.

Also proposals for deposit of public school moneys of the Lexington, Mo., school district for one year, from July, 1902, to July 1903. State the interest to be paid on daily balance. Done by order of the Board of Directors. T. J. BANDON, Sec'y.

Lexington, Mo., June 4th 1902. 1d

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For annual tournament Southwestern Farmers, Kansas City, June 17 to 20, the Missouri Pacific will sell for parties of ten or more one ticket to Bremen, Bremen's families and bands competing in tournament at rate 90c per capita, tickets on sale June 15 and 16, good returning until June 21.

For further information call on A. S. LOOMIS, Agent.

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